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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: William C. Olson et al.

Serial No.: 09/912,824

Examiner: Jeffrey S. Parkin

Filed: July 25, 2001

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For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR INHIBITION OF HIV-1
INFECTION

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Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Examiner mailed January 26, 2005 finally rejecting pending claims 1, 2, 43, 46-48 and 52-59 in connection with the above-identified application. The required fee for filing a Notice of Appeal under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) is TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250.00) for a small entity, and a check for this amount is enclosed.

Applicants are concurrently filing herewith a request for a three-month extension of time, making this application pending today, i.e., July 26, 2005. Accordingly, this Notice of Appeal is being timely filed.

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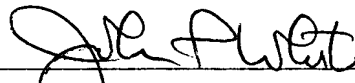
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No fee, other than the enclosed \$250.00 fee for filing a Notice of Appeal, is deemed necessary. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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